

## T. P. Peterson New Pres. E. M. T. A.

WAS ELECTED AT ANNUAL MEETING LAST WEEK

Our fellow townsman T. P. Peterson was elected president of the East Michigan Tourist association at the annual meeting of that organization last week Thursday. He succeeds Bruce Anderson, who is the manager of the Olds Hotel, Lansing.

Mr. Peterson has identified himself with the duties of that association for many years past and taken an active part in its progress. Having been born in Grayling and lived here all his life and been identified in local industrial circles, the promotion of the tourist and resort business has always been one of the uppermost civic principles of his career. He has always taken an active part in the promotion of worthy civic affairs. At an early age he began work in the lumber industry, starting as stenographer. By his industry and splendid ability his rise was rapid and today he is considered one of Grayling's leading citizens. He is the owner and manager of Grayling Lumber & Supply Co.

He is president of Grayling Board of Education, and is past president of Grayling Board of Trade, and for several years served as Village clerk. In whatever capacity he served he did so with efficiency and dependability. That he will succeed in his present position as president of the East Michigan Tourist association is assured. This high honor that has come to him brings with it an equal honor to Grayling. We're sure our citizens generally will join us in extending congratulations and best wishes.

### MICHELSON MEMORIAL CHURCH

Sunday, Oct. 23, 1938  
At 10:00 a. m.—Bible School.  
At 11:00 a. m.—Public Worship.  
Be fair to yourself and go to church. This is a very important duty. Come along Brother.  
H. W. Kuhlman, Pastor.

### SCHOOL TEACHERS ENTER-TAINED

The teachers of our public schools, Board of Education, and clergy were guests of the Woman's club at a pot luck dinner and reception at Michelson Memorial church Tuesday evening.

The dinner tables were very attractively decorated with autumn leaves, barberry and fruits of the harvest. Following the dinner the president of the club, Mrs. Stanley Stealy, acting as toastmistress, introduced the following on the program:

Saxophone solo, "Humoresque" Doorak—Miss Ruth Kuhlman, Mrs. C. G. Clippert, accompanist.

Talk—Mr. T. P. Peterson, President of Board of Education.

Duet—"Somewhere a Voice is Calling"—Mrs. Roy Milnes, Don Gothro.

Talk—Mr. Gerald Poor, Superintendent of Schools.

Saxophone solo—"O Sole Mio," Di Capua, Miss Ruth Kuhlman.

### PIONEER RESIDENT PASSED

David Flagg, age 73, a well known resident of Frederic and Grayling for a long number of years passed away at the Crawford County Infirmary Friday, following a lingering illness.

Mr. Flagg was born in Canada March 4, 1865. He was a blacksmith by trade and in the horse and buggy days ran a blacksmith shop in Grayling. He has made Frederic his home for many years where his sister Mrs. Nancy Batterson and brother Elijah reside.

Funeral services were held from the Grayling Funeral home Saturday afternoon, Floyd Barnes officiating. Interment was in the Frederic cemetery.

### GRAYLING LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sunday, Oct. 23, 1938  
There will be no Sunday School nor Services Sunday as the minister is attending an anniversary at Juhl, Mich.

There will be no Confirmation class Saturday, Oct. 22nd.

The Ladies Aid will meet Thursday, Oct. 27th, at the home of Mrs. Sam Rasmussen.

C. Stockholm, Pastor.

## Navy Day Thursday, October 27th

Navy Day was inaugurated in 1922 by the Navy League of the United States and its observance is sponsored annually by the League.

October 27th was selected because it is the anniversary of the birth of President Theodore Roosevelt, so much of whose life was devoted to establishing a sound naval policy for the United States of America. It will be remembered that President Roosevelt first achieved a national reputation by writing a naval history of the War of 1812, a work of such merit that it was incorporated into Clow's Royal Navy, a monumental history of the British Sea Service. Later, as Assistant Secretary of the Navy, and finally as President, Roosevelt bent his tremendous energies to impress upon the American people the necessity for an adequate Navy, and endeavored through his leadership to realize this ideal.

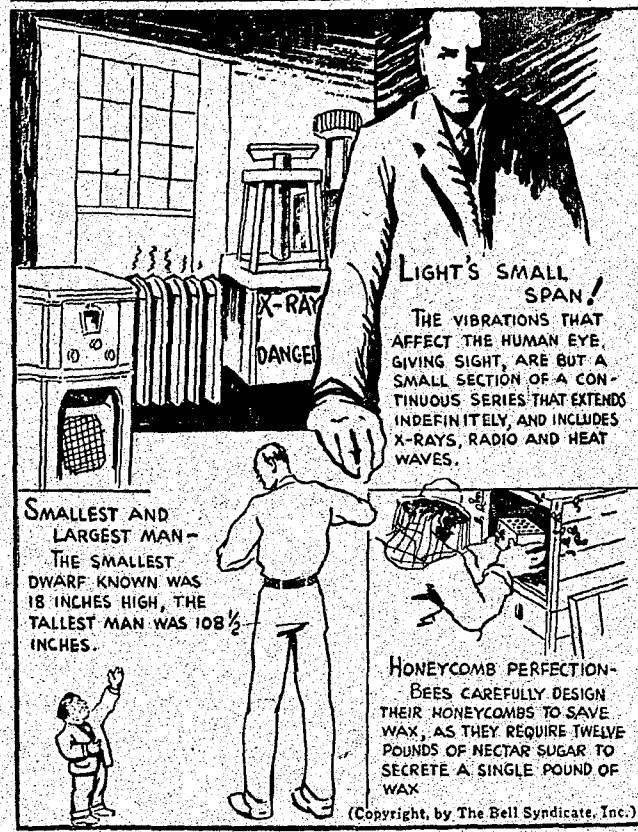
October is also the month in which the American Navy was founded in 1775 by the Continental Congress.

In addition to paying a deserved tribute to the sea heroes of the nation and recalling the splendid part the Navy has played in making and keeping us a nation, the Navy Day observance has proved a valuable means of fostering a better understanding of the Navy and its work. Such information, in a country where Government is by public opinion, is essential to the formation of correct judgments affecting naval policy, and in this work of information, the Navy Day observance has played a considerable part.

With the cooperation of the radio broadcasting industry, the press and motion pictures, and with the participation of the Navy and other governmental agencies, as well as the American Legion, the Daughters of the American Revolution, the Veterans of Foreign Wars and other patriotic societies, Navy Day has developed into a day of serious thought on the subject of reasonable Naval defense.

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## AMAZE A MINUTE SCIENTIFACTS BY ARNOLD



### LIGHT'S SMALL SPAN!

THE VIBRATIONS THAT AFFECT THE HUMAN EYE, GIVING SIGHT, ARE BUT A SMALL SECTION OF A CONTINUOUS SERIES THAT EXTENDS INDEFINITELY, AND INCLUDES X-RAYS, RADIO AND HEAT WAVES.

### SMALLEST AND LARGEST MAN—

THE SMALLEST DWARF KNOWN WAS 18 INCHES HIGH, THE TALLEST MAN WAS 108 1/2 INCHES.

### HONEYCOMB PERFECTION—

BEES CAREFULLY DESIGN THEIR HONEYCOMBS TO SAVE WAX, AS THEY REQUIRE TWELVE POUNDS OF NECTAR SUGAR TO SECRETE A SINGLE POUND OF WAX.

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WNU Service.

## Supervisors Burned Midnight Oil

ANNUAL SESSION WAS BUSY ONE

The Board of Supervisors was in session practically all last week, and found plenty to do. It was the regular annual meeting when all affairs of the county had to be gone over and investigated.

Among the many duties coming before the board was the equalization of the townships. This in itself is a big job. Salaries for county officers had to be fixed for the next two years; appropriations had to be made, and contracts for fuel and other supplies had to be let. Besides this many people came before the board for institutional aid, and had to be interviewed. Altogether it was a very busy session. In order not to run the meeting into another week, Saturday's session was continued until late Saturday evening and it was nearly midnight when it finally adjourned. Every member of the board was in attendance at the session.

## Gets Position As Theatre Manager

Clyde Borchers of Grayling is the new manager of the Mid-State Theatre at West Branch, succeeding Ange Lorenzo, resigned. He began his duties Monday.

Clyde was born in Grayling, is a graduate of Grayling High school and was one of its best athletes during his high school career. His new job came through his association with the local theatre, he having served as usher for some time. Mid-State is one of the four theatres owned by George N. Olson and his brother W. James of Clare.

Clyde is a clean-cut young man, has a fine personality, is enterprising and ambitious, and no doubt will make good in his new position, in which he is wished much success.

## Doings of Our Gang Club

The tenth anniversary of Our Gang was held at the home of Mrs. George Clise, with Mrs. Kenneth Clise, hostess.

Fourteen members were present. Mrs. Floyd Taylor was a guest. The afternoon was spent in keeping with the anniversary. Readings by Mrs. Wm. Williams and Mrs. Florence Wakeley were enjoyed.

Owing to the absence of the new officers installation was postponed until the next meeting. Games were enjoyed with prizes awarded to Mrs. John Stephen, Mrs. Larry Balch, Mrs. Stephen Taylor, Mrs. Wm. Brown and Mrs. George Clise.

Birthday gifts were given to Mrs. Edna McEvers and Mrs. Percy Budd. The beautiful birthday and anniversary cake was made by Mrs. George Clise. Decorations of autumn leaves and evergreens were scattered throughout the rooms.

Everyone enjoyed the good old fashioned pot luck lunch. Mrs. Dewey Palmer will be hostess Oct. 27.

## No Mormon Settlement In Crawford Co.

Attorney George E. Brand of Detroit, who has a summer home near Lovells, has been delving into the history of Crawford county, in an effort to learn about any Latter Day Saints (Mormons) activity. He has secured the following information. Mr. Jensen, writer of the letter is "Church historian of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints." He writes as follows:

Oct. 3, 1938  
Mr. George E. Brand,  
Detroit, Michigan.

Dear Mr. Brand:  
Your letter of the 29th ult. has been received and read with interest, but we have been unable to trace any history of a settlement of Latter Day Saints in the vicinity of Grayling, Crawford county, Michigan.

James J. Strang and his followers who settled on Beaver Island did not locate in Michigan previous to that, but made their first settlement on the banks of the White river, near Burlington, Wisconsin, and named their location Voree. From Voree they went to Beaver Island, Michigan.

From 1841 to 1845, Michigan was a Latter Day Saint mission field and during that time 37 branches of the Church were raised up in different parts of Allegan, Branch, Berrien, Calhoun, Genesee, Hillsdale, Ingham, Jackson, Kalamazoo, LaPeere, Lenawee, Livingston, Macomb, Monroe, Oakland, St. Clair, St. Joseph, Van Buren and Wayne counties, all in south or south central parts of Michigan, and none of them as far north as the present Crawford county. So that we are unable to trace particulars of any settlement of Latter Day Saints near Grayling.

After the martyrdom of the Prophet Joseph Smith in 1844, and the forced exodus of the Saints from Nauvoo in 1846, many families wandered off in different directions, some returning to their old homes and some settling at different points as opportunities occurred and then, in later years, many made their way to the headquarters of the Church in the Rocky Mountains. And yet, on account of their training as industrious colonists, many of these wanderers left a record behind them in the way of bridges, water ditches and homes. Those people you refer to may have been former Beaver Island colonists.

Very truly yours,  
Andrew Jenson.

Named Chairman  
of Scout Council

Holger F. Peterson, who has interested himself in Boy Scout activities for a number of years and is one of the organization's most ardent supporters locally, has been elected chairman of the northwest district of the Summer Trails Council Boy Scouts of America. This honor came to him at a meeting held at the High school building Friday night and he succeeds Allen Schruer of Gaylord.

John Bradshaw of Gaylord was named vice chairman and the members of the district executive board are Roy Milnes, and Emil Giegling, Grayling; Floyd Lake, Gaylord; Harold Calkins, Vanderbilt; E. B. Randall, West Branch.

## State Police Will Patrol the Summer Homes of Resorters

What will be good news to our summer residents who own property on the lakes and streams of this section, is the report that the State Police will patrol them throughout the winter, leaving cards under the doors stating when they were there and the condition of the property at that time.

Last year Sheriff Deadman promoted such a service which was greatly appreciated. Through him many local business men and other residents who were interested in seeing that cottages were not broken in, carried on a systematic inspection. Many letters were received by them showing the appreciation of the owners for this thoughtfulness.

The local state police patrol covers an area 80 miles in circumference, with Gaylord as its center. They will also carry on systematic cottage inspections in this entire area.—Gaylord Herald Times.

## Frank Corwin Funeral Held Sunday

Funeral services for Frank P. Corwin were held Sunday afternoon at the Grayling Funeral Home, Rev. H. W. Kuhlman of Michelson Memorial church officiating. Interment was in Elmwood cemetery, and the pallbearers were all nephews of the deceased. Miss Helen Babbitt and Mrs. June Underwood beautifully rendered "In the Garden" and "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere" during the services.

Mr. Corwin was found dead in bed at his farm home in South Branch township Thursday morning by neighbors. Dr. Stanley A. Stealy, coroner, reported that death was due to apoplexy and that he had been dead since Wednesday night.

Mr. Corwin was born in Wayne, Mich., in 1880 and when he was six years old came to Crawford county with his parents, the late Charles and Sarah Corwin, and they settled in what was then known as Pere Cheney. He was united in marriage to Mary Bowlers of Roscommon and to the union one daughter was born. Having lived in Crawford county for 52 years, Mr. Corwin was among its pioneer residents.

Surviving are his daughter Mrs. Thelma Sinclair of Owosso; three brothers and four sisters, Orson of Northville; Nelson and Charles, Mrs. Eva Wingard, Mrs. Mary Biggs, Mrs. Chris Hoesli and Mrs. Celia Granger, all of Grayling, and there are two grandchildren. Those from out-of-town at the funeral included Mr. and Mrs. Sinclair and children of Owosso; Orson Corwin and son Emerson of Northville, Mich.; Ernest and Everett Corwin, and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Schmelker of Flint.

## Grange Notes

National Master Faber suggests the following goal or program of activity:

A class of applicants in October. (We are getting them).

Degrees conferred in November and December.

Every member correct on the

## 200 Attend Welfare Amendment Meeting

20 COUNTIES REPRESENTED BY OFFICIALS

As election time draws near the interest in the proposed constitutional amendments warms up. Grayling Kiwanis club has already heard talks on both sides of the welfare amendment, known as No. 4. Tuesday-forenoon there was a meeting of about 200 county, township and school officers from 20 different counties, held at the court house in this city, where speakers analyzed the provisions of the amendment.

M. S. Van Gieson of Flint was chairman of the meeting and talked at length on the several proposals of the bill. As has been previously said by the Avalanche, the amendment as it will appear on the ballot will be numbered four. It would require a whole page of the newspaper to reprint it. The provisions of the bill, according to some of the speakers as the meeting, creates the most powerful political state commission this or any other state ever had, with complete control over more tax dollars than all of the other state departments and boards combined. The commission members are beyond the reach of the people and can be held responsible to no one.

The needy person will be subjected to the same cold, cruel, and unreasonable treatment he has been given by impudent, careless and thoughtless so-called "welfare workers." It means a continuation of the humiliation that the unfortunate people of Michigan have been subjected to by professional welfare job leaders.

The county will not have the slightest right over its welfare administration, except to pay ALL the bills that can be charged against the taxpayers.

There is only one safe thing to do and that is VOTE NO. The next legislature then can prepare a new welfare reorganization law that will meet with the approval of the PEOPLE of Michigan.

These and many more were the general sentiments expressed by the speakers. Charles Feenstra of Grand Rapids, a member of the state legislature, made a most stirring address on the subject and appealed to those present to urge the defeat of the amendment.

In case the amendment is defeated the next legislature can then prepare a new welfare reorganization law that will meet with the approval of the people of Michigan.

Singularly is the fact that Wayne County would not come under the provisions of the proposed amendment, which county would be governed under the Home Rule plan, but still the people of that county are privileged to vote on the amendment that will effect the welfare law for all other counties of the state. It is claimed that in Wayne county sentiment for the election of the amendment is strongest.

books December 31.  
Making the coming year our greatest year.

Period of growth and service.

One of our members, Mrs. Laura Parker, made the plaque on the front of our Grange Hall and we are very proud of it.

Donations: Cement blocks:

Mrs. Pauline Edmonds \$1.00

Mrs. Sarah Milne 1.00

Mrs. George Annis 1.00

## Clyde Peterson

Sticker Candidate

For

## SHERIFF

Crawford County

Your Vote will be Appreciated.

## REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE GRAYLING STATE SAVINGS BANK

GRAYLING, MICHIGAN

at the close of business on September 28th, 1938.

Published in accordance with a call made by the Commissioner of the Banking Department pursuant to the provisions of Section 82 of the Michigan Financial Institutions Act.

ASSETS	Dollars	Cts.
Loans and discounts	\$172,643.51	
Overdrafts	189.47	
United States Government obligations, direct and/or fully guaranteed	41,883.75	
Banking house	None	
Furniture and fixtures	1.00	
Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection	191,607.66	
Other assets—Impounded balance in First National Bank—Detroit	1,638.30	
Total	\$407,961.69	

LIABILITIES	Dollars	Cts.
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$184,680.52	
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	110,214.71	
State, county, and municipal deposits	51,334.75	
United States Government and postal savings deposits	500.00	
Deposits of other banks, certified and officers' checks outstanding, etc.	177.00	
Secured by the pledge of loans and/or investments	None	
Not secured by the pledge of loans and/or investments	346,906.98	
Total deposits	\$346,906.98	

Mortgage bonds and participation certificates outstanding	None
Agreements to repurchase U. S. Government or other securities sold	None
Bills payable	None
Rediscounts	None
Obligations on industrial advances transferred to Federal Reserve bank	None
Acceptances of other banks and bills of exchange or drafts sold with endorsement of this bank	None
Acceptances executed by this bank	None
Securities borrowed	None
Interest, taxes, and other expenses accrued and unpaid	7.95
Other liabilities—Bank Money Orders	525.26

Common stock 250 shares, par \$100.00 per share	\$25,000.00
Surplus	25,000.00
Undivided profits, net	5,321.50
Reserves for contingencies	5,000.00
Total Capital Account	\$60,321.50
Total, Including Capital Account	\$407,961.69

### MEMORANDUM: Loans and Investments Pledged to Secure Liabilities

Total pledged

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF CRAWFORD, ss.

I, John Bruun, Vice-President, of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 10th day of October, 1938.

Karl Sherman, Notary Public.

My commission expires January 31, 1942.

Correct Attest:

Esbern Hanson,

John Bruun,

A. J. Nelson,

Directors.



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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20, 1938



### 1939 A.A.A. OFFICERS ELECTED FOR COUNTY AND COMMUNITIES

Delegates from eight communities in Crawford-Osego counties met Saturday in Gaylord and elected the County Agricultural Conservation Committee for 1939. William Hansen of Gaylord was elected chairman; Walter Wiegand of Johannesburg, vice chairman; Darrell Fleming of Gaylord was elected third member, and Hajmar Mortenson of Grayling and Joseph Latuszek of Gaylord were elected as alternate members.

At the community election meetings held Friday, community committees similar to the county committees were elected. Committee members for Crawford county communities for 1939 are: Frederic Lovells, and Maple Forest Townships:

Chairman, Elwood F. Jewell; vice chairman, James Ray Murphy; Third member, Arthur Bigman, and alternate members are Charles Owen and Jay O'Dell.

Beaver Creek, South Branch, and Grayling Townships:

Chairman, George Annis; vice chairman, Charles Corwin; Third member, John Smallwood, and alternate member George Wolf.

The purpose and duty of the county and community committees is to cooperate with and assist the Secretary of Agriculture in the administration of the Agricultural Adjustment Act and other acts included in the national Farm Program.

All farmers who have participated in the 1938 Agricultural Conservation Program or those

who plan to participate in 1939 were eligible to vote in the community elections. Those members elected committeemen for 1939 took office immediately upon being elected.

### Home Economics Extension Notes

The first meeting of the Grayling Group I Home Economic Extension club on the project of "Home Furnishing", was held at the home of Mrs. Albert Knibbs last Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 12. Nine members were in attendance.

The topic of discussion was "Curtaining Windows." The lesson was ably presented by the chairman, Mrs. Dewey Palmer, who acted as leader in absence of the regular leaders, Mrs. Hurl Deckrow and Mrs. Knibbs, who were unable to attend the leaders' meeting.

This lesson was very interesting and instructive as it showed the different kinds of material to be used for curtains and draperies also the correct lengths for different types of windows. How to make curtains correctly was also learned.

The social meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. York Edmonds on Oct. 26. Members who were absent are urged to be at this meeting so they may make up the first lesson.

The second lesson meeting will be held Dec. 14, at the home of Mrs. Charles Corwin.

The meeting was adjourned at 4 o'clock and everyone enjoyed a pot luck lunch.

Mrs. Barton Wakeley, Sec.

### CALVARY BIBLE SCHOOL

Sunday school—10:00 a. m.  
Evening service—7:00 o'clock.  
Services held at Barnes home. You are welcome.

Floyd D. Barnes, Pastor.

**WHY WORRY?**  
I CARRY ANTI-WORRY INSURANCE—A Regular Ad In This Newspaper

## Personals

Mrs. John Brady is visiting relatives and friends in Detroit this week.

Ralph Hanna of Traverse City was in Grayling Saturday calling on old friends.

Mrs. Harold McNeven and daughter Gloria spent the week end in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Einer Rasmussen of Marlette visited their parents here Sunday.

Miss Margaret Laage was home from C.S.T.C., Mt. Pleasant, for the week end.

Esmond Stiles spent Monday in Pinconning attending to U. S. Court business.

Mrs. Hattie Moshier and son Charles, spent the week end visiting in Flint.

Miss Wanda Cardinal left for Detroit Monday for a few days' visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnow Hanson spent the week end visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. Guy Reid, in Twining.

Clement Blaine and Robert Sorenson drove to Ithaca Sunday for the opening of pheasant season.

Miss Mary Montour, who assists in the Landsberg store at Inkster, visited at her home here Sunday.

Mrs. Theodore Kristofferson of Flint is enjoying a ten days visit among friends in Grayling and Beaver Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Winterlee and son Howard spent Saturday and Sunday in Mt. Morris visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Loskos of Grand Rapids are visiting at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Kate Loskos.

Miss Muriel DeLaMater is taking a week's vacation from her duties at the Burrows Market, and is visiting in Detroit.

Mrs. Esbern Hanson returned Tuesday after spending a few days visiting Mr. and Mrs. Esbern Hanson, Jr., at Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cogswell and daughter Helen of Detroit, enjoyed the week end at Hill Top cabins south of Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rasmussen and son Vernon, Mrs. Herbert Gothro and Mrs. Alfred Hanson were in Alma Thursday, on business.

Mrs. Liland Smock and son Don and Miss Bernita Chappel visited Mr. Smock at University Hospital, Ann Arbor, during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Wium, Mrs. Margaret Green and son William, of Detroit, spent the week end at the Wium cottage at Lake Margrethe.

Mrs. Chester Lozon and children returned to their home in Maple Forest after being at the home of her father, Henry Jordan, for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Jamieson and daughters Lois and Joyce, of Cadillac, were the week end guests of Mrs. Jamieson's sister, Mrs. Herluf Sorenson and family.

Mrs. Robert Ziebell, Mrs. Gus Anderson, Mrs. C. B. Johnson, and Mrs. Molly Bosworth were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Yuill, Tuesday, in Vanderbilt.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Walters, of Flint, spent the week end in one of the Randolph cottages. Mrs. Walters took three dips in the lake during her stay here, and said the water was fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ekkens and children of Bay City spent Sunday visiting Mrs. Ekkens' mother Mrs. Kate Loskos, helping her to celebrate her birthday anniversary which fell on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Schram and little daughter Sally were in Traverse City Monday, where the little girl underwent medical examination at the Central Michigan clinic, having been ailing for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Staudacher, daughter Erdine and son Don, of Saginaw, called on old friends here Sunday. The Staudacher family made Grayling their home during the time the Dupont Company was in operation here.

Choice specimens of Blue Spruce; Concolor Fir; Douglas Fir; Scotch Pine, and European Larch are a few suggestions for Fall Plantings. Charlevoix County Nursery (near Ironport Ferry), 6 miles S.E. of Charlevoix. 10-6-4

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Anstett of Saginaw spent Monday in Grayling on business and calling on old friends. They have rented their home to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Rowland, the former who is director of Grayling school band.

Going to Breckenridge for pheasant hunting over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. John Papendick, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Papendick, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Peterson and Leo Lovely. The party were guests of the Ed. Papendick family there.

A. J. Clark, lineman for the Tri-County Telephone Co. here is taking a week's vacation from his duties. He left Saturday for Saginaw, and will also visit in Watervliet and Kalamazoo. Ed. Vanderhof of Alpena is taking his place for the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Babbitt and son Howard, accompanied by Mrs. Babbitt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barber, of Roscommon, left Thursday and returned Monday spending the time visiting relatives in Bay City, Detroit and Farmington. At the latter place Dan had the pleasure of a pheasant hunt, bagging his first bird.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Bidvia and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Larson spent Sunday in Rogers City visiting Mrs. Bidvia's father G. Wenzel, the gentlemen going to hunt birds. When about 2 1/2 miles this side of Rogers City on returning home a huge black bear ran across the road in front of their car. Matt says they had been hunting in that swamp not long before.

Mrs. Holger Schmidt spent the week end in Detroit visiting her children, who reside there.

Mrs. Frank Bond and children are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor in Olivet.

W. H. Nickless and son Arthur of Bay City, were at Corwin Auto Sales on business Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Perry, and friends, of Detroit were the Tuesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Perry.

Jens Ziebell and Charles Melichar are trying deep sea fishing at Traverse City today.

Bob Wiseman has been having a vacation from his duties as clerk at the Conine Grocery.

Orel Levan was in West Branch Friday and attended the banquet at which Governor Murphy spoke. Mrs. James McDonnell also attended.

Mrs. Frank Decker of Flint is visiting her daughter Mrs. Frank Schmidt, coming to see the new granddaughter Lorieli Marie, born Oct. 10th.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Stephan of Flint, spent the week end visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Randolph and Mr. and Mrs. George Stephan.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Aldrich and children of Boyne City, visited Mrs. Aldrich's mother, Mrs. Peter Larson and sister Mrs. Leo Schram, Saturday.

Make your selections now for Fall Plantings! Charlevoix County Nursery (near Ironport Ferry), 6 miles S. E. of Charlevoix. 10-6-4

Mr. and Mrs. James Riley, and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Lea Riley, of Owosso, were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Riley's daughter, Mrs. Burton Welte and family.

Miss Margaret Failing of Bay City accompanied her mother Mrs. Ellen Failing home Sunday, the latter, who had been visiting in Bay City and Detroit for a couple of weeks.

Fred Ward and friends of Detroit were the week end guests at Uncle Tom's Cabin on the Au-Sable. Miss Faye Wells accompanied them back to Detroit to spend a few days visiting.

Paul Dreher and Wesley LaGrow, of Detroit came Sunday to accompany Mrs. Alex LaGrow and daughter Yvonne, to Detroit for a few days visit. Miss Muriel DeLaMater accompanied them to spend the week.

Mrs. M. A. Bates returned from Grand Rapids Saturday. She will remain for some two weeks before closing her home for the winter. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hermann accompanied her to Grayling and returned Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Peterson and daughter Virginia spent Sunday visiting Miss Beatrice Peterson, who is a student at C. S. T. C., in Mt. Pleasant. While there they also spent some time visiting Sigwald Hanson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mayotte and Mrs. Rasmus Jorgenson spent the week end visiting the Ralph Warner family at Black River. The former, accompanied by Charlie Schmidt of that place, enjoyed hunting birds at National City.

Mrs. William Weiss Sr., left Thursday to spend several days visiting relatives and friends in Monroe. She accompanied her son Harry, who is enjoying a vacation from his duties as manager of the A. & P. market at Gaylord.

Mr. and Mrs. Viggo Mikkelsen and family of Detroit spent the week end at their cottage at Lake Margrethe. Mr. Mikkelsen also called at the Kriepke barber shop, he having been one of Mr. Kriepke's patrons in Detroit for years.

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## News Briefs

Big money savings at our 1c Sale—Oct. 19 to 22nd inclusive.—1c—Mac & Gidley, druggists.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Fitzpatrick of Gaylord have come to Grayling to make their home for the winter. Mr. Fitzpatrick is assisting in the Kraus 5c to \$1.00 Store.

Mrs. Carl Kriepke of Detroit arrived Sunday, joining Mr. Kriepke here and where they will make their home. She was accompanied by her son Billy, and sister Mrs. Axel Sorenson, who returned to Detroit Wednesday.

Another big crowd hailed the Appreciation Day program Wednesday night. The hour will be 7:30 next week Wednesday. For a list of the merchants affiliated in this feature, see hand bills. George Stanley was the master of ceremonies last night and did a good job. Next week the Drum and Bugle corps will be in attendance. And "Johnny" promises us a good program of entertainment too.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Roberts had as their guests during the week end, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dorr, and daughter Patricia, Miss Mildred Smith, and Miss Eleanor Bull of Saginaw, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nelson, of Gaylord. Friday Prof. and Mrs. William Hoover of North Dakota, a former superintendent of the Grayling schools, some thirty years ago, visited at the Roberts home enroute on a trip through the states.

A Junior Aid Society has been organized in the Michelson Memorial Church, comprising the younger women of the congregation. Fourteen women met at the home of Mrs. Ernest Borchers Monday evening and the election of officers resulted as follows: Mrs. Borchers, President; Mrs. Harry Souders, vice president; Mrs. Fred Lamm, secretary; Mrs. Harley Russell, treasurer. Mrs. Harry Souders assisted Mrs. Borchers in serving a delicious lunch at the close of the meeting.

It's Planting time and ideal conditions now! Visit the Nursery to know the better types of evergreens, trees and shrubs and flowers. Charlevoix County Nursery, 6 miles S. E. of Charlevoix (Near Ironport Ferry). 10-6-4

William Green of Hillman, Republican candidate for the legislature, was in Grayling Tuesday. He says he has no apologies to make for his record in the legislature. Among some of his achievements is his bill that gives Michigan 5c per acre taxes on State owned lands. Crawford county has thousands of such acres and it helps the local taxpayers to get this money from the state. Already Crawford county has benefited nearly \$68,000 from this fund and it helped a lot.

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## The Michigan Mirror

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Michigan Press Association

By GENE ALLEMAN

Lansing—While the Murphy-Fitzgerald gubernatorial battle occupies the main ring of the political circus, Michigan voters cannot afford to overlook the sideshows. There are four in number—each featuring an amendment to the state constitution and proposing



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MOVED AWAY.
- 4 YOU WISH TO INCREASE THE NUMBER  
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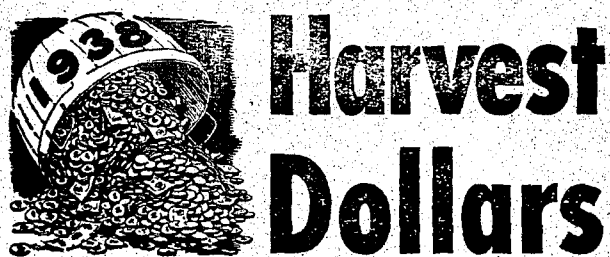
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## Unmasking Hidden Taxes

Women in this state are band-  
ing together with others under  
the banner of National Consum-  
ers Tax Commission to try to  
tear away the mask that hides  
hidden taxes from the people who  
pay them.

Hidden taxes are those levied  
during the production and distri-  
bution of an article and passed  
on unknown to the consumer in  
the form of higher prices.  
Everything—whether neces-  
sity or luxury—has hidden taxes  
concealed in its price, the com-  
mission declares. They take 11  
cents of the price of a 40-cent  
piece of meat; 18 percent of the  
price of sugar, \$1.95 of the price  
of a \$6.95 hat.

The consumer, however, pays  
these taxes without knowing it—  
and then wonders why the week-  
ly pay check does not stretch  
further.

The need for generally-distrib-  
uted information about our com-  
plicated, modern-day tax system  
is an extremely vital one. That is  
why the women taking part in  
this consumer campaign are per-  
forming a valuable public service,  
a service deserving the support of  
everyone.

The mask hiding taxes from  
those who pay them should come  
off.

### Habits of Beavers

A pair of beavers select a site in  
a valley which has only thin patches  
of topsoil left by erosion and where  
the forest reflects the poor soil con-  
ditions. They erect a dam, apply-  
ing an amazing number of engi-  
neering principles in its construc-  
tion, and create a pond, usually of  
several acres. They build a house  
in the pond and cut down trees  
along the shore. They feed on the  
bark of the trees, cut up the trunks  
and limbs and use them as material  
to repair the dam. If there is dan-  
ger of the main dam breaking, they  
build several retaining dams below  
it to lessen the pressure.

## The Unadvertised BUSINESS

IS  
GOING  
DOWN  
HILL

## Crawford Co. Gets \$8,399 Hi-way Funds

Lansing, Oct. 19—For the first  
time this year, revenues from the  
license plate tax showed an in-  
crease over last year, it was re-  
vealed this week when the state  
highway department announced  
third quarter returns of weight  
tax revenues to the counties.

State Highway Commissioner  
Murray D. VanWagoner sent  
vouchers totalling \$3,702,804 to  
the Auditor General for payment  
to the counties. These vouchers  
cover July, August and Septem-  
ber. For the same three-month  
period of a year ago, the depart-  
ment returned \$3,282,457.

In spite of the increase in  
revenue for the third quarter of  
this year, weight tax revenues for  
1938 are still 4.6 per cent behind  
1937. Returns for the first three  
quarters of this year total \$18,-  
452,679 as compared with \$19,378,-  
784 for the same period in 1937.  
The entire weight tax revenue is  
returned directly to local units  
for road purposes.

The current payment brings the  
total returns to local governmen-  
tal units from highway revenues  
including portions of the gasoline  
tax to \$21,727,679 to date this  
year.

Current payment for Crawford  
county is \$8,399.49. Otsego coun-  
ty receives \$9,601.92, and Roscom-  
mon county \$9,102.03.

### POTPOURRI

#### Prehistoric Lake Dwellers

Although a historian writing  
about 400 B. C. mentioned a pre-  
historic people known as Lake  
Dwellers, scientists now believe  
such groups probably existed  
some 14,000 years ago. Exist-  
ence of their dwellings has been  
found in Swiss and other south-  
ern European lakes. In Ireland  
and Scotland remains of the  
wooden piles and dwelling frame-  
work were well preserved.

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## Registration Notice

For General Election Tuesday,  
November 8, 1938

To the Qualified Electors of the  
several  
Townships and City of Grayling,  
County of Crawford, State of  
Michigan:

Notice is hereby given that in  
conformity with the "Michigan  
Election Law," we, the under-  
signed Township Clerks, and City  
Clerk, will upon any day, except  
Sunday and a legal holiday, the  
day of any regular or special  
election or primary election, re-  
ceive for registration the name of  
any legal voter in said township  
not already registered who may  
apply personally to the clerk of  
the Township or City in which  
said voter may reside, for such  
registration. Provided, however,  
that the clerks of said Townships  
or City can receive no names  
for registration during the time  
intervening between the second  
Saturday before any regular,  
special or official primary elec-  
tion and the day of such election.

The last day of General Regis-  
tration does not apply to persons  
who vote under the Absent  
Voters' Law.

Notice is hereby given that the  
clerks of said townships and city  
will be at the usual place for  
such registration.

Wednesday, October 19, 1938.  
The Twentieth Day preceding  
said election, as provided by Sec.  
3, Chapter 3, Part II, P. A. 306,  
Session of 1929. And on

Saturday, October 23, 1938—

The Last Day,  
From 8 o'clock a. m. until 8  
o'clock p. m. on each said day  
for the purpose of Reviewing the  
Registration and Registering such  
of the qualified electors in said  
Township or City as shall properly  
apply therefor.

The name of no person but an  
Actual Resident of the precinct  
at the time of registration, and  
entitled under the constitution, if  
remaining such resident, to vote  
at the next election, shall be en-  
tered in the registration book.  
Dated Oct. 8, 1938.

Signed:  
Dan C. Babbitt, Clerk,  
Grayling Township.  
George A. Granger, Clerk,  
City of Grayling.  
Kendell Welch, Clerk,

Frederic Township.  
Martha J. Petersen, Clerk,  
Maple Forest Township.  
Frank Millikin, Clerk,  
Beaver Creek Township.  
John F. Floeter, Clerk,  
South Branch Township.  
Louise McCormick, Clerk,  
10-20-2 Lovells Township.

### SMART MONEY

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WHERE TO  
GO AFTER  
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THE ADS  
IN THIS  
NEWSPAPER.

## A PICTURE-STORY OF MT. PLEASANT

Two pages of photographs tell  
the story of Mt. Pleasant's in-  
dustrial, civic and cultural pro-  
gress. See these fascinating photo-  
graphs in the popular Pictorial  
Rotogravure Section of Sunday's  
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Plenty of Salt  
The quantity of available salt  
seems inexhaustible. It occurs in  
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## Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

Thursday, October 21, 1915

One of the prettiest autumn weddings was that of Miss Anna Olson, when she became the bride of Mr. Ditlev Nikolai Schjotz. The wedding took place Wednesday evening at the Danish Lutheran church before a large number of friends of the families. Rev. Kjolhede officiating. The bride was becomingly gowned in white silk net over white messaline and wearing a veil of net fastened with a pearl Grecian band, and carrying a bouquet of white roses and lilies of the valley. Miss Ruby Olson and Miss Anna Nelson were her attendants, with Marie Olson as ring bearer. Anchor schjotz, brother of the groom, acted as best man, and Waldemar Olson and Ernest Larsen officiated as ushers. Immediately after the ceremony the wedding party and guests went to the Danebod hall where the reception was held. Mr. and Mrs. Schjotz left on a wedding trip to Detroit, Chicago, and points in Wisconsin.

Clyde Gates, bookkeeper at the Drs. Insley and Keyport offices, is ill at Mercy hospital.

Miss Julia Michelson of Kalamazoo is visiting her sister Mrs. Baumgard.

Mrs. Robert Reagan entertained her sister, Mrs. Jos. Malafant of Cheboygan the forepart of the week.

Miss Carrie LaGrow entertained her friend Miss Hazel Greanya of Standish the forepart of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Meistrup are receiving congratulations over the arrival of a daughter, born Tuesday the 19th. The young lady will be known as Maxine Ardell.

Dr. S. N. Insley and John Larson are driving fine new 1916 Buick Sixes. They arrived Tuesday.

Word has been received announcing the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gustafson on

Saturday, Oct. 16th at their home in Detroit. Mrs. Gustafson was formerly Miss Ethel Ayres of this city.

Joseph Letzkus left Monday for Bay City and Mrs. Letzkus and daughter Elizabeth left Wednesday evening at the Danish Lutheran church before a large number of friends of the families. Rev. Kjolhede officiating. The bride was becomingly gowned in white silk net over white messaline and wearing a veil of net fastened with a pearl Grecian band, and carrying a bouquet of white roses and lilies of the valley. Miss Ruby Olson and Miss Anna Nelson were her attendants, with Marie Olson as ring bearer. Anchor schjotz, brother of the groom, acted as best man, and Waldemar Olson and Ernest Larsen officiated as ushers. Immediately after the ceremony the wedding party and guests went to the Danebod hall where the reception was held. Mr. and Mrs. Schjotz left on a wedding trip to Detroit, Chicago, and points in Wisconsin.

Misses Angeline VanPatten and Ida Milnes spent Sunday in Saginaw.

A fine son was born to Mr. and Mrs. David Montour Friday morning at Mercy Hospital. The newcomer's name is Stuart Joseph.

Mayor and Mrs. Hans Petersen returned Tuesday from an auto trip to Selkirk, near West Branch, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carscadden in that village over Sunday.

Miss Anna Nelson entertained on Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Anna Olson. Late in the evening a two course luncheon was served by the hostess.

A pretty but quiet wedding was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, at Eldorado, Tuesday evening, when Miss Grace Lillian Crane was united in marriage to Boyd J. Funsch. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Ira Kinney in the presence of relatives, after which a sumptuous wedding supper was served.

A son was born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Scott Wiley living on the Borchers farm on the South Side.

**Frederic**  
(23 Years Ago)  
Mrs. C. B. Tompkins of Grand Rapids is visiting Mrs. Malco of Maple Forest.

Armatus Charron of Munising has been in town the past few days visiting his father, J. C. Charron and calling on old friends.

Art Cameron is relieving at the bank while School Commission-

er Kalaheer is making a school inspection tour.

**Frederic School Notes**  
(23 Years Ago)  
Dolly Smock is a new pupil in the Intermediate room.

Marie and Raymond Brown have gone to Waters for a short time.

The best thing so far this season was a musical program given by the school last week. Miss Mae McDermald was in charge.

**Lovells**  
(23 Years Ago)  
Mrs. Rose and daughter Virginia of Detroit are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Redhead, on the Main stream.

Percy Budd, who has been working the past months on the Reymourne ranch, has moved his family and household goods to town, and will be employed by T. E. Douglas.

Mrs. F. Seymour of Grand Rapids having spent two weeks very pleasantly with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Redhead, returned to her home Saturday.



**Go "Blue Goose", Enjoy Your Trip**

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## Election Notice

Notice is hereby given that a General Election will be held in the several townships and city of Grayling, County of Crawford, State of Michigan, at Town Hall and City Hall, within said Township and City on

Tuesday, Nov. 8, A. D. 1938  
For the purpose of voting for the election of the following officers, viz:

STATE—Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, Attorney General, State Treasurer, Auditor General.

CONGRESSIONAL—Representative in Congress.

LEGISLATIVE—State Senator, Representative in State Legislature.

COUNTY—Prosecuting Attorney, Sheriff, County Clerk, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, Circuit Court Commissioner, 2 Coroners, Surveyor.

Notice is hereby further given, that at the time and place of holding the General Election, there will be submitted at said Election, Four Proposed Amendments to the Constitution of the State of Michigan, viz:

(Proposal No. 1)  
Amendment to Provide for a Four-Year Term of Office for County Clerk, Prosecuting Attorney, Sheriff, Treasurer and Register of Deeds.  
This amendment, if adopted, will provide for a four-year term of office for the above-named officers, to take effect January 1, 1939.

(Proposal No. 2)  
Amendment to Provide for the Non-Partisan Nomination and Appointment of Supreme Court Justices for Eight-Year Terms.  
This amendment, if adopted, will provide for the appointment of justices of the supreme court by the governor from names submitted to him by the judiciary commission, which commission shall be composed of one supreme court justice, one circuit judge, one probate court judge, three members of the state bar and three electors of this state not licensed to practice law.

(Proposal No. 3)  
Shall the Constitution be Amended to Guarantee That Gasoline and Motor Vehicle License Plate Taxes Paid by Motorists be Used for Highways, Roads and Streets.

Adoption of this amendment will require that all gasoline and weight (license plate) taxes collected from motorists for highway purposes continue to be used for such purposes. It does not apply to any other taxes. It does not grant any additional taxing power to the legislature, nor restrict its right to change the rates and methods of allocation of such motor vehicle taxes.

(Proposal No. 4)  
Referendum on Act No. 257 of the Public Acts of 1937, Being an Act to Provide for the Transfer of the Administration of Certain Existing State Public Welfare and Relief Matters, Services and Duties to the State Department of Public Assistance Created by Said Act, and to Abolish the Various State Departments, Boards, Commissions, and Offices so Transferred.

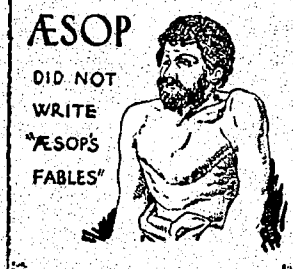
The polls of said election will be open at 7 o'clock a. m. and will remain open until 6 o'clock p. m. of said day of election. Dated Oct. 8, 1938.

Signed:  
Dan C. Babbitt, Clerk, Grayling Township  
George A. Granger, Clerk, City of Grayling  
Kendell Welch, Clerk, Frederic Township  
Martha J. Petersen, Clerk, Maple Forest Township  
Louise McCormick, Clerk, Lovells Township  
Frank Millikin, Clerk, Beaver Creek Township  
John F. Floeter, Clerk, South Branch Township.

## The DEBUNKER

By John Harvey Furbay, Ph.D.

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The fables which are now extant in prose under Aesop's name are all spurious. Aesop is only a mythical figure, according to many historians. He was supposed to have lived about the Sixth century B. C. The fables which tradition has attached to his name were verified by Babrius about the first or second century A. D. It is doubtful if there were ever any written fables bearing any such name as Aesop. None is known today. The monk, Malmsbury, collected a great number of the traditional tales purporting to be those of Aesop, in the Fourteenth century, and in the preface he described Aesop as a monster, deformed and ugly—a notion without foundation.

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**STATE OF MICHIGAN**

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grayling in said county, on the 17th day of October, A. D. 1938.

Present: Hon. Charles E. Moore Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of George Pratt, deceased.

Lyle Dunkley, having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is ordered, That the 21st day of November, A. D. 1938, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

Charles E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

A true copy. Charles E. Moore, Judge of Probate. 10-20-4



**A GOOD THING FOR A RAINY DAY**

**STATE OF MICHIGAN**

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At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office, in the City of Grayling, in said county, on the 17th day of October A. D. 1938.

Present: Hon. Charles E. Moore Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Violet Fournier, deceased.

It appearing to the court that the time for presentation of claims against said estate should be limited, and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said court.

It is Ordered, That creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court at said Probate Office on or before the 20th day of February, A. D. 1939, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

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Present: Hon. Charles E. Moore Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Frank P. Corwin, deceased.

It appearing to the court that the time for presentation of the claims against said estate should be limited and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said court.

It is Ordered, That all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court at said Probate Office on or before the 20th day of February A. D. 1939, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

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**STATE OF MICHIGAN**

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grayling in said county, on the 22nd day of September A. D. 1938.

Present: Hon. Charles E. Moore Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Edwin Gibbon, deceased.

It appearing to the court that the time for presentation of the claims against said estate should be limited and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said court.

It is Ordered, That all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court at said probate office on or before the 30th day of January, A. D. 1939, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

Charles E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

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**STATE OF MICHIGAN**

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said court, held at the probate office in the City of Grayling in said county, on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1938.

Present: Hon. Charles E. Moore Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Anna Petersen, deceased.

It appearing to the court that the time for presentation of the claims against said estate should be limited and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said court.

It is Ordered, That all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court at said probate office on or before the 6th day of February, A. D. 1939, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

Charles E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

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**STATE OF MICHIGAN**

Order of the Conservation Commission—Raccoon in the Lower Peninsula.

The Director of Conservation, having made a thorough investigation relative to trapping of raccoon in the Lower Peninsula, recommends certain regulations.

Therefore, the Conservation Commission, by authority of Act 230, P. A. 1925, hereby orders that for a period of one year it shall be unlawful to trap raccoon in the Lower Peninsula north of the north line of T. 16 N. and west of Saginaw Bay excepting from November 15 to December 15, 1938, inclusive, and south of the north line of T. 16 N. and east of Saginaw Bay, including all of Huron County, excepting from December 1 to December 15, 1938, inclusive.

Signed, sealed and ordered published this 16th day of June, 1938.

P. J. Hoffmaster, Director, Department of Conservation.

Conservation Commission by: W. H. Loutit, Chairman. Wayland Osgood, Secretary. 10-6-4

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## LOCALS

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20, 1938

Clyde Glover, mail carrier, has rented the Fournier house and will be moving there from the Sam Smith house.

Here is what you have been waiting for—our 1c Sale, Oct. 19th to 22nd inclusive.—Mac & Gidley, druggists.

Postmaster James McDonnell is enjoying a week's vacation from his duties this week and is spending it around home.

Storm sewer is being laid at the present time along Ionia street. This is part of the \$13,000 sewer project the City has under way.

The Ladies Aid society of the Michelson Memorial church will have a rummage sale on October 21 and 22, in the church basement.

Mrs. Esther Peterson is having a vacation this week from her duties at the Drs. Keyport & Clippert offices. Miss Jayne Keyport is supplying during her absence.

John Corcoran and Stephen Downey, state auditors, have just completed their annual audit of the County books at the Court house and found them as usual in fine shape.

Mrs. Cecil Boyes left this morning for her home in Winnipeg, Manitoba, after being in Grayling since early in the summer, caring for her mother, Mrs. Joel Fournier, who passed away recently.

A lovely birthday party planned by neighbors and friends, was given Friday afternoon honoring Mrs. James Sherman and Mrs. William Blaine, who were celebrating their anniversaries. It was held at the Blaine home and there were a large number present. Both ladies were presented with nice gifts.

The Kiwanis club ate chicken at Mrs. John Knecht's last evening, instead of having their regular noon meeting at Shoppengons Inn. The fellow always have a good time there.

Harold C. Bellows, Democratic candidate for congressman of the 10th district will be the main speaker at a dinner at Shoppengons Inn tonight. Incidentally Mr. Bellows is the father of Miss Bellows, who was principal of Grayling schools some years ago.

Miss Dorothy Roberts entertained the Junior Aid society Thursday evening. After the business session, Rev. Stockholm read an interesting story of the Leper colony, in India. Several new members were taken in at this meeting. The hostess served a delicious lunch.

Word from Detroit announces the marriage of Mr. John W. Kuster to Lora Mary Rosso, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. Rosso on Saturday, Oct. 8. The groom is the son of Mrs. Catherine Kuster of Alameda, Mich., and the family were former well known residents of Grayling.

Little Ronald Larson received a badly bruised hand Sunday, when returning from Sunday school he was invited to ride. In some way he fell off the seat after getting into the car, and his right hand got in the way of the door, and it was slammed shut upon it. No bones were broken but it was a painful injury.

General election November 8th. It's a good principal to vote. Who's going to elect our prosecuting attorney, clerk, treasurer, sheriff and register of deeds? Please have a part in this responsibility. And you mothers should be vitally interested in this election. Be sure you are registered and then be sure to vote.

Home Extension Group III met at the home of Mrs. Wilfred Laurant Friday afternoon. Miss Odie Sheehy and Mrs. W. J. Heric assisting. To learn exactly how to make curtains, what materials to use, the right lengths to hang them, and in fact every item in curtaining windows made a very interesting topic for the first lesson in the course.

Clarence Barney, age 47, a World War veteran, who has been making his headquarters at the Veteran camp at Hartwick Pines, passed away at 10:00 o'clock this morning at the home of William Kite, where he had been rooming. He left the camp three weeks ago and had been rooming at the Kite home so as to be under a doctor's care. Gassed and shell-shocked during the war, he died of acute heart trouble. The deceased's home was in Detroit. He was unmarried.

The Men's Democratic club met at the Legion hall Wednesday evening with between 100 and 125 present. A. J. Nelson, president of the club presided and John Corcoran of the state auditing department gave an interesting talk. Each of the democratic candidates had a few words to say. Orel Levan, Ronnow Hanson, Axel Peterson, Carl Jensen, and Clayton McDonnell. A meeting was scheduled to be held in Frederick first of the week. Dutch lunch was enjoyed by the crowd.

A birthday party was tendered to three-year-old Donald J. Leadbeater, by his aunt, Mrs. Byron Randolph. Donald is here visiting with his mother from New York. Guests at the party included Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Leadbeater, of Vanderbilt, grandparents of Donald; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Randolph, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Randolph and children, Joan and Phyllis. Mrs. James G. Leadbeater entertained the guests with moving pictures of her son Donald taken of him since he was four months old while living in Salem, Mass., and in New York.

The regular business meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary will be at the hall Tuesday evening, Oct. 25th.

Miss Patten and Miss Tumath, teachers, have moved into the Sam Rasmussen apartments on Michigan Avenue.

Our Christmas greetings are now on display. We invite you to drop in while the line is complete.—Avalanche Office.

Blanche's Beauty Parlor is now open for business, next door to Grayling Bakery. We will be pleased to see our old customers and any new ones.—Blanche Hull.

Mrs. Alfred Hanson entertained her Bunco club Monday night and Mrs. Floyd Taylor and Mrs. Sam Rasmussen held high scores. The hostess served a delicious lunch.

Six more cases of scarlet fever have been quarantined this week among them are: Eugene Wheeler, Bruce and Terry Nelson, Joan Corwin, Beatrice Brown and Douglas McDaniels.

The patrons and patronesses for the Golf Club Halloween Frolic to be held Tuesday evening November 1, at Grayling Golf Club, are: Mr. and Mrs. C. J. McNamara, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Welsh, and Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Peterson.

Last Sunday was like a day in June and in calling the Grayling Fish Hatchery we found that the thermometer registered 73 degrees. Most every day for the last couple of weeks the sun has shone and the temperature has been very mild.

Grayling Mercy Hospital is the only one in Northeastern Michigan north of Bay City that is on the approved hospital list of the American College of Surgeons. Further west the hospital, at Cadillac and one at Manistee, share like honors.

It's Planting Time and ideal conditions now! Visit the Nursery to know the better types of evergreens, trees and shrubs and flowers. Charlevoix County Nursery, 6 miles S. E. of Charlevoix (Near Ironton Ferry.) 10-6-4

City workmen are filling in the space at the foot of Park street and a new street is to be opened running between Park and State streets, this side of the new City sewer pump house. The stretch will be graveled and will be a continuation of Ingham street.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Robertson, who have been residing at Hunt's Creek for the summer, where Russell has been caretaker of the rearing ponds there. He has been transferred to the Grayling Fish Hatchery. They will rent the Bissette house on Spruce street.

Mrs. Dennis Amburgey is in Ann Arbor with her daughter Thelma, age ten, consulting specialists concerning the child's health. The girl went through the child's clinic at Traverse City, and last week was taken to Ann Arbor.

Carl Andrew, the three months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Heribacka died at Mercy Hospital Saturday evening after a day's illness. The funeral was held Monday afternoon from Grayling Funeral Home, Rev. Stockholm of the Danish-Lutheran church officiating.

Fire caused from a defective chimney called the City fire department Saturday afternoon to the home of Harold Edwards. This was the former Herdeline property and Mr. Edwards recently purchased it from Herman Fylvainen and had moved in last Wednesday.

Among nimrods coming for the opening of the bird season were Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Knight Jr., of Grosse Isle, and their guests Mr. and Mrs. Ford of Detroit, who were at the former's lodge, Camp Swastika on the AuSable, until Tuesday. The party succeeded in getting a number of birds.

Editor S. P. Minier of the McBain Chronicle, was a caller at the Avalanche Office Tuesday. Mr. Minier is a man of strong convictions and principles and stands for the higher things in community life. He is a member of the Board of Supervisors and a justice of the peace. "Drunk drivers," said Mr. Minier, "don't get far in my court and their drivers licenses are always cancelled."

Douglas Knuth, age 12 years, is at Mercy Hospital suffering from a broken arm. The accident happened when the lad making the route Thursday with his brother Max Lett, driver for Grayling Laundry, fell downstairs in a building at West Branch, with a bundle of laundry in his arms. It happened that forenoon and the boy continued on the route with his brother, arriving in Grayling late that afternoon.

Teddy Bill Cody, 13 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Cody, was the victim of a peculiar accident Sunday afternoon. He was playing with a rifle shell and was in the act of pinching it together with a pair of pliers when it exploded. The charge struck him in the stomach cutting a deep gash, and it was necessary to take him to Mercy Hospital to have the wound dressed. He remained until Wednesday, when he was removed to his home.

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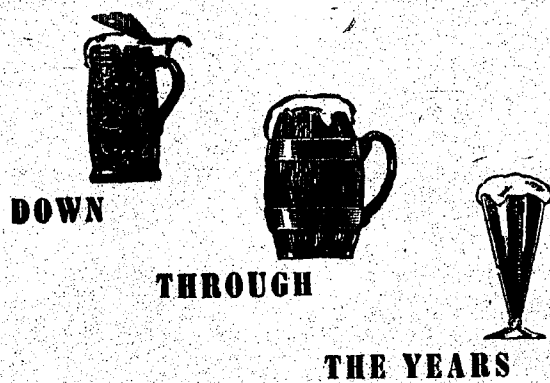
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Preparing and serving of game dinners in order to be a "Real Treat and Enjoyment" to the most discriminating and exquisite sense of taste depends greatly if not entirely, on the knowledge required to produce their "Culinary Success" in every respect including also, proper service. Many and various are the attempts made in this particular and highly important direction. Alas—quite numerous are the

failures no doubt, of producing the results so essential to obtain the credit and praise that Game Dinners really deserve and are noted for.

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1790 Census North of Ohio River

The census of 1790 gave the population north of Ohio river as 4,280.

### SCHOOL NEWS

#### FREDERIC SCHOOL

The first number on the current lecture course was last Thursday. Corporal "Bob" Ingelston talked to us and told us many interesting and horrible things about the world war. Everyone who heard Mr. Ingelston enjoyed the program very much as we are sure will be true of the remaining five numbers. The remaining numbers are:

Tom Thumb Circus (Trained Animals)—November 10.

Daniel Dew (Novelty Entertainment)—December 8.

Microcosmo (Wonders of Science)—March 17.

Spooks and Frauds (Educational and Mysterious)—April 17.

Briggs and Brown (Chalk Talks and Musical)—May 8.

Season tickets are yet available and can be secured from any member of the Senior class. They are still a big bargain as the price of one full single admission has been subtracted to make up for the one number that has already been presented.

The public speaking class are selecting a list of plays to study with the intention of presenting a series of one act plays and the final presentation a full length play. The plays will be presented in connection with some other function of the school and the proceeds are to be given to that function.

In spite of the wonderful weather making it possible for the utmost in ease in harvesting crops, we still have a few absences daily. Maybe the trouble is the fact that hunting season is on and some just cannot resist it. We hope all can soon get back because it is harder for all concerned when there is much absence.

The first N.Y.A. checks arrived Monday and there were many smiling faces to be seen after they had been given out. There seems to be more pleasure in receiving the check than in doing the work to make the check possible.

Mr. Shotwell of Petoskey was here last Friday and talked to those in typing classes. He gave them many pointers in how to become a good typist, as well as showing them several practical tricks with a typewriter as well as describing the uses of many other business and office machines. The time spent listening to him was certainly well spent.

The Frederic soft ball team avenged their 9 to 7 defeat by Grayling at Grayling earlier in the year by defeating the Grayling boys in a close, tense game last week by the score of 4 to 2. Cram's mound work was worthy of praise but the deciding feature was a surprise double by Jack Bigham with two men on the bases.

### Highway Fate Awaited

(Lansing State Journal)

The people of Michigan are to be given an opportunity to perpetuate a highway system that is one of the finest in the nation, when they go to the polls in November, because at that time there will be a vote taken on passage of an amendment to the state constitution, designed to prevent the diversion of highway funds for other governmental purposes.

Whether there will be organized opposition to the amendment remains to be seen, but its sponsors, the Michigan Good Roads Federation, hopes there will be none. Nevertheless citizens would do well to acquaint themselves with the purpose and provisions of this most important amendment. Its passage may mean the difference between a continuation of Michigan's ever-advancing road program, and a slow death for the system.

In a state which leads the nation as an automobile manufacturing center, and possessing more than its just share of cars per capita, it is all the more important that it should take the lead in providing for continuation of its highway development program. For one thing the state has 3,000 miles of gravel roads and state trunkline highways that should be improved immediately, by the application of some sort of low-price surfacing. There is need for several divided-lane highways on some of the state's most heavily traveled routes, particularly in the Detroit area. It is important that old roads be developed, because there can be no standstill in Michigan highway development.

The diversion amendment is designed and written and one thought in mind—the prevention of the use of state highway funds for any other purpose than the construction and maintenance of Michigan highways.

It should be known, too, that the amendment does not apply to the general sales tax, property levies on cars, the use of tax or fees collected under the auto theft and the operators' and chauffeurs' license laws. Part of these taxes are used for state police enforcement purposes. The amendment as it is written does not affect any of these minor taxes—it deals entirely with the gasoline tax and the weight tax.

The spectre of possible diversion of highway department funds to other departments of government, is a constant threat to the highway program and it must be removed. The amendment in question will remove that threat.

There is another important reason why the amendment should have the unanimous support of Michigan's voters. Under the working of a federal law, a state is penalized up to one-third of the federal aid it is entitled to, if the state in question permits diversion of its highway funds. Under this provision a total of two and one-half million dollars in federal highway aid funds could be withdrawn from Michigan annually, if ever this state should permit diversion.

And Michigan is not the only state in which a similar amendment is to be acted upon at the November election. Six other states will vote on this issue this year—California, North Dakota, Nevada, Indiana, Alabama and New Hampshire.

If Michigan voters approve the amendment when it is offered them, they will find that they have voted themselves a perpetuating highway system, which will continue for all their lives to give them pleasure.

cerned when there is much absence.

The first N.Y.A. checks arrived Monday and there were many smiling faces to be seen after they had been given out. There seems to be more pleasure in receiving the check than in doing the work to make the check possible.

Mr. Shotwell of Petoskey was here last Friday and talked to those in typing classes. He gave them many pointers in how to become a good typist, as well as showing them several practical tricks with a typewriter as well as describing the uses of many other business and office machines. The time spent listening to him was certainly well spent.

The Frederic soft ball team avenged their 9 to 7 defeat by Grayling at Grayling earlier in the year by defeating the Grayling boys in a close, tense game last week by the score of 4 to 2. Cram's mound work was worthy of praise but the deciding feature was a surprise double by Jack Bigham with two men on the bases.

#### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to our neighbors and friends for their kindnesses and expressions of sympathy during the passing of our dear father and brother, Frank Corwin, with special thanks to Rev. H. W. Kuhlman for his comforting words.

Mrs. Thelma Sinclair and family and the brothers and sisters.



## JOHN E. DOHERTY CANDIDATE FOR STATE SENATOR (28th SENATORIAL DISTRICT)

John E. Doherty was born at Belfast N. Y. on a farm, September 26th, 1871. Finishing school at the Genesee Valley Seminary, Belfast, he came to Michigan in 1891. In 1892 he, with his brothers, J. M. and the late ex-senator, A. J. Doherty formed a partnership known as the Coleman Hardware and Furniture Co. In 1898 he sold his interest in the company to his brother, and in 1901 he moved to Clare, Michigan and entered into the furniture, undertaking, plumbing and heating business.

Having sold his furniture store in 1916, he has maintained the balance of his business down through the years—his sons now manage the business but he looks after his real estate and insurance business which he has had since 1912.

Mr. Doherty is not a politician, but in the early part of the century he was elected city clerk for a number of years and has been a member of the Clare Chamber of Commerce ever since it was organized many years ago, and also is, and has been one of its directors during most of the time. Mr. Doherty has been a licensed funeral director and embalmer for 45 years and is a graduate of the Boston College of Embalming and also holds a N. Y. state license. He has a home at Clare and a summer cottage at Lake George, Clare County and also owns the old Clare County Savings Bank block at Clare and farming lands in Clare and Isabella counties. Mr. Doherty is married and has five children and ten grandchildren. His good wife is known for her work in the Red Cross and charities drives in Clare county. He is a conservative business man and takes much interest in expanding the tourist trade in the 28th District, improved black top roads in all rural communities, in conservation, educational financial support, rural electrification, a just monthly pension for the aged and infirm and relief for all worthy persons.

In legislative matters Mr. Doherty is interested in legislation to reduce present legal interest rate, a tax measure that will tax all income above \$2,000 per year, including all salaries of public officials and on all securities of state and nation that are now exempt from taxation. He solicits the votes of the electors on a straight business basis, regardless of politics.

His name will appear in the Democratic column on the November election ballot and your vote as well as your active support will be gratefully appreciated. (Advertisement contributed by friends.)

### 4-H Clubs Hold Achievement Day

Achievement Day for the Summer Clubs in 4-H Activity in Crawford County was held at the Maple Forest Town hall on Friday, October 14th. Exhibits included livestock, potato, garden, canning, and food preparation. All except the livestock were shown at the hall. The calves were shown at a near-by barn.

Judges of the exhibits were Mr. Bowman of Gaylord, and Miss Redmond, also of Gaylord. These people, both graduates of Michigan State College, and experienced as critics in agricultural products, were highly pleased with the boys' and girls' exhibits, and they did their judging impartially and carefully. Miss Redmond stated that the quality and appearance of the canned products exceeded any she has previously seen this year, including exhibits at the Traverse City Fair. Potatoes grown and shown by Edmund Howse, Harvey Dennis and Carl Richter, were nicely displayed.

The Garden Club exhibit consisting of garden produce and some flowers grown by seven boys and girls, was, perhaps, the outstanding feature of the exhibit. Cleanliness, neatness and

good quality characterize the entire display.

The program following a splendid pot luck dinner, was well selected and rendered. Instrumental numbers by Keith Babbitt and Carl Richter showed care in preparation and real feeling in rendering. There were several interesting recitations. Short talks by County Agricultural Agent L. Wendell Barnes, and L. B. Karr, who is discontinuing Crawford county in his 4-H Club district, were followed by several club group songs. About forty persons were present.

The accompanying chart gives the judges' placings of A, B, and C groupings. Data included is for completions only. Those receiving A's for the average have been designated Honor Members, and are entitled to gold seals on their certificates of achievement. Club delegates have been especially fortunate in the quality of their membership and are entitled to a trip to the Gaylord encampment to be held next August. Because of her uniform excellence in gardening, canning, and food preparation projects, Emma Jean Owen was named the all around county delegate. However, the workmanship in general, by all club members, was excellent.

Special recognition is gratefully acknowledged for the splendid leadership of Mrs. Charles Owen, who led the Garden Club, to Mrs. Richard Babbitt, leader of the Canning and Food Preparation Clubs, and to Maurice Babbitt,

leader of the Potato and Calf clubs. Mrs. Elwood Jewell has actively assisted in the community activity, and so have a number of other ladies who are, in the main, the mothers of the boys and girls who have carried forward their 4-H Club projects.

### Lovells

Word has been received that Mrs. Clarence Stillwagon is improving after undergoing an operation in Saginaw.

William Lurchen, Dr. Collins, and Leonard Clemett, of Detroit, enjoyed a few days hunting at Big Creek club.

Henry Duby of Midland visited a few days with his son Ray. Mr. and Mrs. Chandler Symons of Saginaw spent the week end at the Kuehl cabin.

Junior Langstrom of Detroit is enjoying some time at his cabin.

Mrs. William Volmer of Frederic visited her daughter, Mrs. Elmo Nephew, last week.

#### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to our neighbors and friends for their kindness and sympathy in our recent sorrow. Mrs. Frank Love and Family.

Elect . . .

# William Green

as your Representative in the State  
Legislature



# \$67,951.39

Is the amount of money Crawford County has received from the 10c an acre bill which Wm. Green sponsored. Your taxes have been reduced that much because Mr. Green originated and pushed the bill through the legislature. That's the kind of representation you want in the State Legislature, and that's the kind you will get if you send back Wm. Green to the legislature.